

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463 May 29, 2008

Joe Baca, Treasurer Friends of Joe Baca 555 Capitol Mall, Suite 1425 Sacramento, CA 95814

Response Due Date:

June 30, 2008

Identification Number:

C00325449

Reference:

12 Day Pre-Primary Report (4/1/08 - 5/14/08)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 2 items:

1. The Commission notes that the committee is verifying the permissibility of the following contributions:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
American Hardware Systems	5/6/08	\$500.00
Hector De La Torre for Assembly 2008	5/9/08	\$1,000.00

If these contributions are from permissible sources, please amend your report in order to provide the necessary information.

If you have received prohibited contributions, you must make a refund. (11 CFR § 103.3(b)(1)) The refund must be made within thirty (30) days of the treasurer becoming aware of the illegality of the contribution. (11 CFR § 103.3(b)(2)) Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately and provide a photocopy of any refund checks. Refunds must be reported on a Schedule B supporting Line 20(a) of the report covering the period in which the refund was made. (11 CFR § 104.8(d)(4))

2. Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions that appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act (see attached). You should examine all of your contributions to check for additional excessive